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AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-16. (Canceled)

17. (Currently Amended) An orienting mechanism for a ~~measuring~~ microwave fill level measuring device for determining a fill level or limit level of a medium in a container, including: a pivotable, ball-shaped, clampable member, ~~which is securable to the container and which permits a sealing of the interior of the container~~ said pivotable ball-shaped, clampable member being arranged to hold the microwave fill level measuring device, to be pivoted relative to the container in order to adjust an orientation of the microwave fill level measuring device relative to the container, and to be clamped to the container after adjusting said orientation in order to position the microwave fill level measuring device, said pivotable ball-shaped clampable member further being arranged to permit sealing of the interior of the container.

18. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, wherein:
the sealing comprises a purely metallic seal.

19. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, wherein:
the sealing comprises an elastomeric seal.

20. (Currently Amended) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 19, wherein:
the sealing comprises an O-ring seal.

21-27. (Canceled)

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28. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, further including:
a tube which serves as a hollow conductor.

29. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 28, wherein:
said pivotable, ball-shaped, clampable member is arranged on said tube.

30. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, further including:
a holding plate, wherein:
said pivotable, ball-shaped, clampable member is secured on a flange at or on the
container by said holding plate.

31. (Previously Presented) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, wherein:
said pivotable, ball-shaped, clampable member is clamped on a cover plate closing a
manhole of the container.

32. (Currently Amended) The orienting mechanism as claimed in claim 17, wherein:
said pivotable, ball-shaped, clampable member ~~can~~is adapted to be swung, together with
the cover plate, away from the container.

1. (Currently Amended) A hybrid wireless network system for steering antenna beams,
A pe comprising: